

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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Title : Methods and Kits Related to Administration of a  
Fructooligosaccharide

**RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT**

Mail Stop Amendment  
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**INTRODUCTORY REMARKS**

This Amendment Response is being filed in response to a Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment mailed on December 22, 2008. The Notice of Non-Compliance indicates that not all of the claims have been provided with the proper status identifiers. Applicants have made every effort to place the response in proper form. Attached hereto is a listing of the claims to replace the listing as previously submitted.

*Amendments to the Claims* begin on page 2 of this paper.

*Remarks* begin on page 10 of this paper.